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Please find attached to this facsimile submission a Response to Restriction Requirement / Election of Species (1 page).

Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION / RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
AND ELECTION OF SPECIES**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement / Election of Species issued April 13, 2006, Applicant provisionally elects Species A for prosecution in this matter.

Should the Examiner have any questions or desire clarification of any sort, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number listed below. Please reference Attorney Docket No. LYRN002US0.

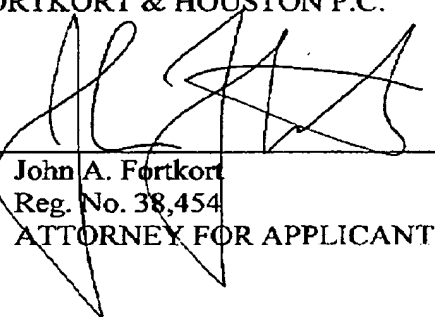
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Respectfully submitted,
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